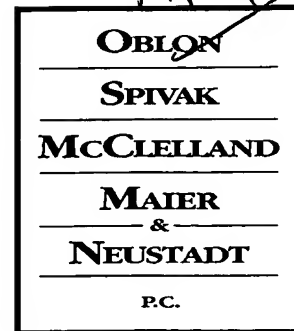




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**Request for Reconsideration After Final Rejection (5 pgs.);  
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